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**RE:** U.S. Patent Application No. 09/971,952 filed October 4, 2001  
For: SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE HAVING DEFECTIVE SUBSTRATE

**OUR FILE:** 6047-61248

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**MESSAGE:** As you requested, attached are copies of a Petition to Withdraw from Issuance, RCE Letter, Information Disclosure Statement and cited reference, which were previously faxed to the United States Patent and Trademark Office on September 26, 2003.

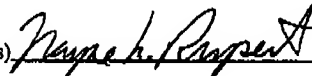
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

**In re application of:** Casey Prindiville et al.**Application No.** 09/971,952**Filed:** October 4, 2001**For:** SEMICONDUCTOR PACKAGE HAVING  
DEFECTIVE SUBSTRATE**Examiner:** Lourdes C. Cruz**Art Unit:** 2827**Attorney Reference No.** 6047-61248CERTIFICATE OF FACSIMILE

I hereby certify that this correspondence and any documents referred to as being transmitted herewith are being facsimile transmitted to the attention of Francis Hicks of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, Mail Stop Petition, to facsimile telephone number (703) 308-6916 on the date shown below:

Attorney  
for Applicant(s)Date Mailed September 26, 2003MAIL STOP PETITION  
COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS  
P.O. BOX 1450  
ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450**PETITION TO WITHDRAW APPLICATION FROM ISSUANCE  
UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2)**

Applicant hereby petitions for withdrawal of the present application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.313(c)(2) in order to consider a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) for submitting an Information Disclosure Statement (IDS). Attached herewith are an RCE and an IDS (including copies of the cited documents). Also attached herewith is a Transmittal Letter authorizing a charge to Deposit Account No. 02-4550 for a total amount of \$880.00, which includes \$750.00 for the RCE fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(e)) and \$130.00 for the petition fee (37 C.F.R. §1.17(h)).

During a teleconference between Ms. Retta Williams of the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office and the undersigned attorney, Ms. Williams indicated that Ms. Francis Hicks would be the individual considering this Petition. Ms. Williams also indicated that this Petition should be sent by facsimile to the attention of Ms. Hicks at the Office of Petitions.

Applicant respectfully requests withdrawal of this patent application from issuance for the reason set forth above. A timely notice regarding granting of this petition is respectfully requested.

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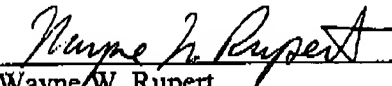
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Should there be any questions regarding this petition or application, the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at the telephone number shown below.

Respectfully submitted,

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